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**LETTER TO THE EXAMINER SUBMITTING
REPLACEMENT AMENDMENT AND PAPER INCLUDING CURRENTLY PENDING CLAIMS**

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Sir:

This is in response to a telephone conference with the above identified Examiner on October 2, 2003. The Examiner stated that a determination had been made that an Amendment submitted on December 27, 2002 was improper because an amendment to the specification was not made by presenting a complete paragraph with accompanying markings. Attached is a Replacement Amendment in which the specification amendment indicated in the December 27, 2003 Amendment is made in paragraph form.

In the telephone conference of October 2, 2003, the Examiner also indicated that a Response and Amendment made on June 30, 2003 was also improper because added claims were not completely underlined. However, as pointed out to the Examiner, no claims were added in the June 30, 2003 amendment. If any revision of the July 30, 2003 Response and Amendment is required, it is respectfully requested that the non-conformity be clearly identified.

Also enclosed, as requested by the Examiner, is a clean copy of the claims pending in the application after entry of the Exparte Quayle Response and Amendment of June 30, 2003.

It is respectfully requested that the Replacement Amendment provided herewith be entered in the above-referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

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